



General Assembly

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Amendment

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Offered by:

REP. WALLACE, 109th Dist.

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To: Subst. House Bill No. 5589

File No. 379

Cal. No. 235

**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF SPECIAL
DISTRICTS AND TERMINATION OF LOCAL BOARDS BY
ORDINANCE."**

1 Strike section 1 in its entirety and insert the following in lieu thereof:

2 "Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding the
3 provisions of any special act or sections 7-324 to 7-329, inclusive, of the
4 general statutes, any district established by special act may, by
5 majority of the voters present at the annual meeting or any special
6 meeting of the district called in accordance with the provisions of such
7 special act, provide for the following: (1) An increase in the number of
8 commissioners from three to five, (2) voting by voting machine from
9 six o'clock a.m. to eight o'clock p.m. for an annual or special meeting,
10 and (3) notice, in writing, by a person intending to run for
11 commissioner to the clerk of the city or town in which such district is
12 located of such person's intent to run not later than thirty days prior to
13 such meeting. Such clerk shall publish the names of each such

14 candidate and a description of any issue to be placed on the ballot of
15 such meeting in a newspaper having a general circulation in such city
16 or town, not later than fifteen days prior to such meeting."